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8           UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9           WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
10           AT TACOMA

11 ROMOND WATSON,

12           Plaintiff,

13           v.

14 JO ANNE B. BARNHART, Commissioner of  
the Social Security Administration,,

15           Defendant.

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17           Case No. C05-5801 FDB

18           ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND  
19           RECOMMENDATION AFFIRMING  
20           COMMISSIONER'S DECISION

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22           Magistrate Judge J. Kelly Arnold recommends that the Court should conclude that Mr.  
23 Watson was properly denied social security benefits because application of the proper legal standard  
24 and substantial evidence support the Administrative Law Judge's finding that Plaintiff was not  
25 disabled absent the effects of his alcohol addiction. Plaintiff has not filed an objection to the Report  
and Recommendation.

26           The Court, having reviewed Plaintiff's complaint, the Report and Recommendation, and the  
remaining record, does hereby find and ORDER:

- 27           (1)     The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation;  
28           (2)     The administrative decision is AFFIRMED, and

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1                     (3)     The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Plaintiff's counsel, Defendant's  
2                         counsel and Magistrate Judge J. Kelly Arnold.

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4                     DATED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2006.

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FRANKLIN D. BURGESS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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